Production of Drugs

2824. SHRIMATI USHA MALHOTRA: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) names of the companies who are licensed to produce Isonicotinic and Hydrozide, Streptomycin Sulphate, Thiacetazone, PAS Acid, PAS Sodium, Aspirine, Tolbutamiole, Oxytetracycline, Betamethasone, Ampicillin, Tetracycline Hcl, Frusemide and Glybendamide along with licensed capacity and production during the last three years of each drug of each company;

(b) names of the category under which each drug fall and what is the price fixed for each drug;

(c) names of five major formulators of each drug and what is the price fixed for each pack and strength of each formulation;

(d) what was the percentage sales of each formulation of total sales turnover and what was the percentage of production of each bulk drug of their total production of each company; and

(e) what is the price being charged for each bulk drug by each producer and what is the landed cost and market price at present!

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICALS AND PETROCHEMICALS (SHRI R. K. JAICHANDRA SINGH): (a) Details to the extent available, are given in the enclosed statement.

(b) names of the categories under which each drug falls are listed in Drug Price Control Order (DPCO), 1979. Copies of which were laid on the Table of the House. The prices fixed for indigenously manufactured bulk drugs, would be compiled and laid on the Table of the House.

(c) and (d) The leader prices of formulations fixed under Drug Price Control Order (DPCO), 1979 would be compiled and laid on the House. Sales turn over of bulk drugs or formulations by individual companies are not monitored.

(e) The prices fixed under DPCO 1979 are maximum selling prices and the manufacturers can sell at prices lower than the prices so fixed. There are no instances in the notice of the Government where these bulk drugs are being sold at prices higher than the prices valid in law. The landed cost varies from consignment to consignment depending on the CIF price and the prevailing custom duty.

Statement

Sl. No.	Name of the Bulk Drug/Company	Licensed capacity (Tonnes)	Production (Tonnes)		
			1982-83	1983-84	1984-85
1	2	3	4	5	6
I.	*I.N.H.*				
	(i) Chempharma	35·00	52·02	48·05	47·62
	(ii) Pfizer	80·00	72·92	56·56	80·01
	(iii) Suneeta	90·00	..	1·11	0·07
	(iv) Bio-Evans	..	0·49	..	..

1	2	3	4	5	6
II.	*Streptiomycin*				
	(i) I.D.P.L.	85·00	40·19	35·80	27·40
	(ii) H.A.L.	170·00	120·11	111·79	111·68
	(iii) Synbiotics	170·00	79·30	90·72	96·28
	(iv) Alembic	20·00	..	..	..
III.	*Thiacetazone*				
	(i) Bio-Evans	11·00	0·06	..	..
	(ii) Unichem	12·00	21·01	12·40	20·39
IV.	*PAS & ITS Salts*				
	(i) I.D.P.L.	400·00	102:30	114·55	29·15
	(ii) Bio-chem Synthetics	100·00	104·40	77·31	76·15
	(iii) Pfizer	110·00	12·60	3·67	8·52
	(iv) Wander	300·00	26·60	21·46	5·25
	(v) Bio-Evans	120·00	42·50	..	..
V.	*Aspren*				
	(i) Alta Labs.	1120·00	965·34	1038·19	788·43
	(ii) Andhra Sugars	500·00	361·01	488·19	272·90
VI.	*Tolbutamide*				
	(i) BCPL	12·00	0·06	..	..
	(ii) Hoechst	72·00	24·64	21·58	18·01
	(iii) Albert David	11·93	8·96	2·48	10·74
	Oxytetracycline				
	(i) I.D.P.L.	25·00	49·72	20·50	49·20
	(ii) Pfizer	9·00	69·85	84·49	86·40
	Betamethasone				
	(i) Glaxo	425·00 kgs	583·00	613·88	712·64
	(ii) T.N. Dadha	20·00 kgs.	5·41	..	20·20
	Ampicillin				
	(i) I.D.P.L.	35·00	1·00	0·26	3·72
	(ii) H.A.L.	35·00	14·18	8·38	13·56
	(iii) Ranbaxy	55·50	44·89	45·03	65·70
	(iv) Alembic	5.00	2.42	2.48	1.65
	(v) Cadila Labs.	20·00	..	0·29	13·61
	(vi) Elypain Chem.	..	..	..	6·45

1	2	3	4	5	6
X.	*Tetracycline HCL*				
	(i) I.D.P.L.	200·00	129·89	115·20	121·30
	(ii) Cynamaid	6·00	8·91	2·19	11·10
	(iii) Synbiotics	3·00	70·34	91·15	94·64
XI.	*Frusemide*				
	(i) I.D.P.L.	10·00	..	0·08	..
	(ii) Hoechst	7·18	4·19	8·92	6·73
XII.	*Glyniclamide*				
	(i) Hoechst	0·90	0·60	1·05	0·97

Price fixation of drugs

2825. SHRIMATI USHA MALHOTRA: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Tetramisole, Thabendazone, Thiabendazone, Pyrantal, Pyrivinium, Dithiazamin Iodide and Fendendazole are anthalmintics drug;

(b) if so, whether these drugs are covered under Drugs Price Control Order, 1979;

(c) if so, what is the price fixed for each drug along with the date of fixation order;

(d) whether it is a fact that Government only fix the price of bulk drugs after cost and Technical study is made by BICP, an expert organisation;

(e) if so, when was the cost study made in each case;

(f) names of the poducers who are licensed to produce these drugs along with licensed capacity, stage of manufacture and production of each drug of each company, during the last three years, year-wise; and

(g) what was the price taken for each drug for fixation of formulation prices of each pack and strength of each formulation and who are the three major formulators of each drug?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CHMICALS AND PETROCHEMICALS (SHRI R. K. JAICHANDRA SINGH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) All the drugs referred to in Part a) except Fenbendazole are covered in the second schedule to the Drugs (Prices Control) Order, 1979 Price of formulations ased on Fenbendazole along with other Anthalminties bulk drugs are, however, price controlled.

(c) Price of Rs 919.00 per Kg. was fixed 1250.00 per Kg. for Pyrantel Pamoate Rs. 1250.00 per Kg. for Pyrantel Pamoate on 15-11-1984 under the Drugs (Prices Control) Order, 1979. The price of other drugs referred to have not been fixed so far.

(d) Yes, Sir. The recommendations of the BICP are taken into consideration while fixing the prices.

(e) BICP recommendations in respect of Tetramesole were received in 1980 and in respected of Pryantel Pamoate in 1984.

(f) Details of industrial approvals issued from time to time are published in the monthly News Letter of India Investment Centre, copies of which are available in the Parliament Library. Production of these bulk drugs are not monitered.